



01. I) Define a Fourier series and write down the formulae for the coefficients of Fourier series.

II) Given that  $f(x) = x + x^2$  for  $-\pi \leq x \leq \pi$ , find the Fourier expression of  $f(x)$ .

Deduce that  $\frac{\pi^2}{6} = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^2}$ .

02. I) Find the Fourier series expansion of the periodic function of period  $2\pi$ ,

$$f(x) = x^2, \quad -\pi \leq x \leq \pi.$$

II) Hence, find the sum of series  $\frac{1}{1^2} - \frac{1}{2^2} + \frac{1}{3^2} - \frac{1}{4^2} + \dots$

03. I) Define the Taylor polynomial of a function  $f(x)$  about  $x=a$ .
- II) If  $f(x) = \ln(1 - x + x^2)$  prove that  $(1 - x + x^2) \frac{d^2 f(x)}{dx^2} + (2x - 1) \frac{df(x)}{dx} - 2 = 0$ .
- III) Find the 7<sup>th</sup> Taylor polynomial of  $f(x)$  about  $x=0$ .

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